



The Fairhaven Project, Inc.

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Application Form

The Fairhaven Project 2010 Program

For young men and women ages 17-19
Three weeks from late July to mid-August 2010

Be part of our exclusive
conflict resolution and
leadership development program
offered to Israeli and Palestinian young
adults ages 17-19

Please type or print all information.

Additional sheets may be attached if necessary. Applications will be accepted until the program is full.

TFP is a two-year progressive leadership development program. To participate, applicants must attend TFP in two consecutive years. This means that if you are new to TFP in 2010, you must attend both the 2010 and 2011 sessions. By submitting this application, you signify your commitment to attend two consecutive sessions.

Personal Information

Name (last, first, middle): _____

Address (Street/Town/Postal Code): _____

Country: _____

Sex (check appropriate box): ☐ Male ☐ Female Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____ / _____ / _____
day month year

Home Telephone: _____ Mobile Telephone: _____

Email Address: _____ (All communications are via e-mail. Email address is required)

Parent/ Guardian Information

Name of Parent / Guardian: _____

Relationship to Participant: _____

Address (Street/Town/Postal Code): _____

Country: _____

Telephone: _____ Email Address: _____

Participant Passport Information

Passport #: _____ Nationality: _____

Expiration Date: _____ Visa #: _____ Control #: _____

Academic Information

Year in School in 2009-2010: ☐ 10th ☐ 11th ☐ 12th ☐ Graduated High School

Grade Point Average _____

Name and Address of School (Street/Town/Postal Code): _____

What are your plans after graduation? _____

Have you participated in a Fairhaven Project program before? ☐ yes ☐ no

• If so, which years did you attend? ☐ 2008 ☐ 2009

Please describe why you would like to participate in this program: _____

Please list school courses you enjoy and any extracurricular and/or leadership activities: _____

Parental Consent and Waiver of Responsibility

PARENTAL CONSENT:

In consideration of the acceptance of [insert name of applicant] _____ as a participant in The

Fairhaven Project, the applicant agrees that The Fairhaven Project, Inc. and/or its staff, that Northeast Maritime Institute, Inc., and/or its staff, and that any agents or program volunteers will not be held responsible for accidents or loss of personal property, however caused and of whatever kind, and agrees to release, indemnify and hold harmless The Fairhaven Project, Inc. and Northeast Maritime Institute, Inc. from all claims or damages which may arise as a result of such accidents or loss. It is further agreed that all risk attendant to participating in The Fairhaven Project programs are assumed by the participants and parents and/or guardians and that this assumption is acknowledged and approved by their signature hereto.

Program Costs: TFP is provided free of cost to all participants. We cover all costs of tuition, meals, lodging, activity fees, air transportation, and all ground transportation while in the U.S. Participants are responsible for transportation to and from their home country airport.

Program Dates: The program will run for three-weeks starting in late July 2010 and ending in Mid-August 2010 (exact dates to be determined).

The Fairhaven Project, Inc. reserves the right to use any pictures, video clips or film taken during the program for advertising, instructional or other lawful purposes.

I have read the forgoing, have explained it to my son/daughter/ward, and understand and approve of and consent to the terms and conditions as stated.

Signature of Parent or Guardian (required)

Date

The Fairhaven Project, Inc. reserves the right to terminate the stay of any participant when it is deemed to be in the best interest of either the participant or the program.

I approve of the application of [name of applicant] _____ for The Fairhaven Project. My signature affirms the commitment of my son/daughter/ward to attend two consecutive years (years 2010 and 2011 for first time applicants). All information contained within this document is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Parent or Guardian (required)

Date

Email application to:

info@thefairhavenproject.org

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If you have any questions, please contact:

Elizabeth MacWhirter, TFP Program Coordinator, at:

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E-mail: info@thefairhavenproject.org

All brochures and forms may be found at:

<http://www.thefairhavenproject.org>



Dates and Location

TFP is a three-week program, running from late July to mid-August 2010 (exact dates to be determined in spring 2010). All participants must attend the entire three week term.

The program begins with air travel from your home country to Washington, DC where the participants spend several days touring Washington, DC's many political, cultural and educational offerings, such as the U.S. Capitol, Smithsonian Museums, Mount Vernon, U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis and Georgetown.

After Washington, DC, the participants will separate into first-year and second-year groups.

➤ The first-year group will fly from Washington, DC to Fairhaven, MA and spend the remaining 2-plus weeks at our Fairhaven campus. The schedule includes both on-shore and sea-going activities that introduce participants to the world of sailing and marine science. First-years will take part in team projects and visit local sites, such as the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institute and the John F. Kennedy Presidential Library in Boston. Their final segment will be spent sailing S/V Fritha.

➤ The second-year group will sail from Washington, DC to Fairhaven (estimated 9 days) navigating northward along the Atlantic seaboard via the Chesapeake Bay and New York City Harbor. Second-years will complete the final segment in Fairhaven participating in formal and informal activities.

Distinguished Instruction

All TFP instruction and activities are directed by leaders in their fields, including maritime educators, vessel captains, conflict resolution experts, oceanographers, scientists and diplomats. Participants interact one-on-one with these experts daily. We also provide opportunity for hands-on learning using state-of-the-art equipment and exploratory materials.

Selection Criteria

TFP encourages all interested applicants to apply by completing and forwarding to TFP the 2010 Application Form (included in the TFP Information Packet; also available online at www.thefairhavenproject.org). Participants will be selected based on the criteria identified below.

Please note that because TFP is a collaborative program, participants will be required to work in a team setting in the classroom, onboard the S/V Fritha and during scheduled activities. Participants must also demonstrate maturity and be able to function independently.

Mandatory Requirements:

- First-year applicants (individuals attending TFP for the first time in 2010) must attend TFP in both 2010 and 2011
- Proficiency in English
- Age 17, 18 or 19 (on March 1, 2010)
- Personally affected by conflict in his/her home country
- Interest in maritime education and sailing (no prior experience is required)
- Comfortable being filmed and on camera for the duration of the program
- Comfortable living in close quarters
- Willing to work collaboratively to prepare meals and complete daily chores

Other Selection Qualifications:

- Academic achievement
- School leadership
- Extracurricular Activities
- Other factors as applicable

Cost

Thanks to the financial and programmatic support of Northeast Maritime Institute and other program sponsors, the 2010 Fairhaven Project is offered free of cost to all participants. All costs for tuition, airline travel, lodging, food and program activities will be borne by The Fairhaven Project. Participants may elect to bring nominal spending money (\$200 USD or less) for incidentals, such as novelties or souvenirs.

Rules of Behavior

TFP strives to promote an atmosphere that encourages creativity, exploration and learning for all participants. To that end, poor discipline and inappropriate conduct are not accepted.

In order to promote group unity and cohesion, participants must speak English at all times. Participants will sign an agreement shall to abide by the program's rules.

The Fairhaven Project reserves the right to terminate the stay of any participant when it is deemed in the best interest of the participant or the program.



24-Hour Supervision

Two adult chaperones (one male and one female) will be on duty twenty-four hours/day to supervise and assist as needed. The chaperones will live, eat and work side-by-side with the participants.

Accommodations

Participants are housed in gender-divided sleeping areas onboard the S/V Fritha and in onshore lodging. Participants will share a sleeping area with at least one other program participant. **Participants will be accompanied by an adult chaperone at all times.** Restrooms are located in each sleeping area with access to sinks, private shower stalls and private toilets.

Uniforms and What to Bring

TFP will provide program shirts. Participants may wear personal casual clothing during informal activities. Because TFP assumes no responsibility for lost, stolen or misplaced items, bring only what you need and leave expensive items at home. As there is limited space for storing items, pack items in one suitcase or duffle bag that is compact and easy to manage. Upon acceptance, participants will receive a detailed list of recommended items, like toiletries, casual clothes, swimsuit, light jacket, camera and athletic shoes.

Transportation

TFP will coordinate participants' airline itineraries. We will make every attempt to have the students on the same flight(s). Each participant is responsible for his/her own ground transportation to and from their local airport. Staff of TFP will greet participants upon arrival and will provide all air and ground transportation while in the U.S.

Telephone Contact

Participants may, at select times, telephone family members using telephones provided by TFP free of charge. TFP does not permit the use of private cell phones or laptops during the program. Therefore, any private cell phones and electronics used during travel to the U.S. will be collected upon arrival and stored until departure.

Required Forms

All participants are required to complete medical, media release, liability, and parental consent and authorization forms. These forms will be sent to participants in the spring of 2010.

Visit us at www.thefairhavenproject.org for more information. The Application Form may be downloaded from this site. You may also contact us by email at: info@thefairhavenproject.org; telephone 011 508-922-4025, x317 (USA).

**Help us launch
TFP 2010 by
submitting your
application today!**

**We welcome you
on board!**



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TFP's founding members and
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